



**Public Health**  
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# WADING POOL RULES



**When lifeguards or attendants are not present:**

- Children age 12 and under need to be accompanied by responsible adult (age 18 & over) at all times the child is at the pool
- Bathers age 13-17 must not use pool alone
- Bathers wearing diapers need to have tight fitting protective coverings
- Diapers must be changed in designated diaper changing area or restrooms
- Everyone must take a cleansing shower before using pool
- If you have a communicable disease that can be transmitted by water or have been ill with diarrhea or vomiting in last two weeks, do not use the pool
- Bathers with seizure, heart or circulatory problems are advised to swim with a buddy
- Do not use pool when under the influence of alcohol or drugs
- No running on deck or horseplay in the pool
- No food or drinks are allowed in the pool water
- Persons failing to follow rules are subject to removal from the premises

**In an *EMERGENCY* call 911.**

**Closest phone for *EMERGENCY* use is located at:** \_\_\_\_\_

**First Aid Kit located at:** \_\_\_\_\_

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